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Butler's Financial Theories

From the Boston Advertiser.

We have never been of those who are disposed to deny the ability or the audacity of General Butler. His adversaries in whatever form, have invariably found it a fatal defect in their calculations if they failed to credit him with possessing these qualities in the highest degree and we suspect that he even has political friends who find to their mortification that they have sometimes invoked the aid of an ally a little too strong and even headstrong to be managed. But his audacity was never more amazing than in the deliberate rejection in his speech yesterday of what are now agreed upon by financiers and students of nearly every school as established principles. Not many men of position and name have ventured since John Law's time, except in revolutionary periods, to treat credit as a sufficient standard by itself for a stable currency. Now and then a writer like Mr. Charles Moran of New York in his treatise on Money, may have ventured in theoretical discussion to argue for an inconvertible currency, but these exceptions have generally been treated as the crude extravagances and hallucinations of *dabblers in political economy, and the masters of* the science have coolly gone on, deepening and strengthening its foundations, with little fear as to these attacks upon its plainest principles. But this does not give pause to General Butler. New comer as he is in the field, he attacks the strongest point at once and without hesitation. In a most entertaining review of the financial history of Greece and Rome and of the middle ages, he maintains that the use of money coined from the precious metals is a mark of barbarism, the source of misery, and the means of every species of injustice, and that when our fathers failed to reject gold and silver as the standard for their paper, those great men failed in this single case to cast off the last relic of monarchy and oppression. This is perhaps bold enough; but how can we sufficiently admire the coolness with which a public man who advocates the non-payment of gold for a part of the public debt, on the ground that gold is not specifically promised, now proposes to issue a currency which is to expressly avoid promising anything at all, either in gold or paper, specifically or otherwise, and who actually proposes to keep such a currency at par? The ability with which these indefensible positions are supported will perhaps be best appreciated by those who examine the speech carefully, and see with what consummate skill popular appeal is made to bridge over wide gaps in logic. A great criminal lawyer is perhaps not the person best qualified to discuss questions of abstruse political science; but it must be admitted by all that in treating such a subject before that mixed audience of Congress and of the general public, which Mr. Butler is now so fortunate as to address, both his training and his abilities are admirable for his purpose, however that may be defined.

It may be suspected that Mr. Butler is somewhat loose in his definitions, as in his evident uncertainty whether to treat the greenbacks as money, as promises to pay money, as capital or as mere commodities; and that he is at times doubtful of his own meaning, as when he proposes to overthrow the old standard by the substitution of certificates expressed in dollars and therefore necessarily implying a reference to that standard. It is certain that he is at fault in his history, as when he makes the strange statement that the United States once paid off at par a debt not matured and worth 120 per cent. in the market. And he is again at war with the law and the public faith when he proposes to override the act of February 1862, with which he has before had so much trouble, and to receive in paper the duties which we have bound ourselves to collect in gold and have hypothecated in that form as security for the interest on the public debt. But there is sometimes reason to suspect that palpable contradictions and random statements are with Mr. Butler mere dust thrown in the eyes of his opponents—trifles which divert their attention from the main point and take up their time and strength with unimportant collateral disputes which he is not slow to encourage. In the present case the main point is his proposition to launch the country upon an unlimited sea of paper money, on a voyage of which he alone perhaps does not see the inevitable end. Such a proposition, we are satisfied, will meet with little favor from the country after the experience of the last few years, even if the popular mind were not otherwise too well instructed to entertain it, but that it should be deliberately made by a politician of such standing and such reputed ambition, is a sufficiently remarkable phenomenon. We congratulate those who are more responsible than we for his apparent endorsement by one of the most highly educated constituencies in Massachusetts or the Union, on their present duty of explaining to the world this astounding aberration of their favorite statesman. The fact that, as we believe, some of them have been known as "bullionists" in theory, will not make explanation any the less interesting.

Low Wages and Cheap Living in Germany.

[Berlin Correspondence of the Springfield Republican.]

One problem in the state of things here puzzles me completely. It is this: How do the working classes live at all on the wages they get? Take into account the German talent for economy, and the undoubted fact that foreigners pay more for the same articles than the natives do, and it still remains a great mystery. Look at the wages they get. There is the chambermaid who takes care of my room; she is hard at work in this house from early to late, gets, with food and room, but not with washing, a sum equal to $1 70 in gold a month! Up and down those long flights of stone stairs she goes continually, she says, "I keep all the time one pair of shoes on my feet and one at the shoemakers." Every pitcher of water must be brought from a pump on the other side of the square. She has the afternoon of every third Sunday for a holiday. And clothes, shoes, and every necessity of life beyond mere shelter and food, must come out of twenty-one dollars a year! And she dresses tidily, wears a cheerful face, and has as merry a laugh as ever I heard! Or take the case of a waiter at a good restaurant: his wages are his meals at the saloon and $4 20 in gold a month, two-thirds of which he must pay for lodgings. Seventeen dollars a year to keep a man in clothing and all personal necessities! As for gratuities from customers, they are a mere trifle, and most probably go into a common stock with those of the other waiters, so that special assiduity avails him almost nothing. Leaving all other results aside, is it likely that he can afford the luxury of a family? You ask, how does he live himself? That is just the problem I cannot solve. But he does live and stands ready to serve you, civil, handy, week days and Sunday, month after month!

Take the case of musicians. I go often to a concert given every evening at a restaurant. These concerts are well worthy of a full description, and I hope sometime to describe them, for to an American they are unique. But, for the present, as to the musician's pay, there is a band of more than twenty pieces, and their music, to describe it no further, is equal to the best orchestral music one hears from the best large band of Boston and New York at a first class concert. The performers receive all the admission fees, and the proprietor of the saloon makes his profit from his own sales. The average attendance during a whole evening is perhaps sixty; the admission fee about seven cents. Perhaps twenty cents a night at the outside, as the wages of the first class musician! The orchestra at the theater and opera here (they form one establishment) is a very large and very fine one. This theater opera, by the way, has a reputation throughout Europe. It is maintained by the Government, which pays it an annual subsidy, in addition to the receipts from entrance fees at a high rate, of [illegible] thalers—about equal to as many dollars in our paper currency. The leader of the orchestra in this grand establishment gets about six hundred thalers a year. Evidently the rank and file of the performers under him receive at most but small wages. Yet among them are men who perform for nothing, and regularly all the time for a long year after year, that they may at last succeed to a salaried place when their turn comes and a vacancy occurs.

Counterfeit Greenbacks.—Greenbacks of the denomination of fifty dollars have been imitated by skillful forgeries in such a successful manner that the Government have called them all in. Persons having fifty dollar greenbacks in their possession can obtain the value of them in smaller bills, by applying at the sub-Treasurer's office in San Francisco.

General Paragraphs.

The Johnson administration will leave one extraordinary legacy to its successor. Postmaster General Randall has undertaken the appointing a negro as Postmaster in a Virginia village. It is urged in extenuation of this deed of treachery to the chivalrous sons of the Caucasian South that Randall did not know the color of the applicant, but *gave him his commission on his apparent merits* as certified by responsible citizens. Will the conservative ethnologists of the Old Dominion stand this sort of thing? Can it be possible that a thing which is, according to the satin bone theory, only an unclassified animal shall be permitted to hold a Federal office of the same rank and class as that made honorable by the prolonged tenancy of that apostle of the rights of white men, Rev. Petroleum V. Nasby? Postmaster Randall has made a terrible mistake, and if it were not that his official status of life were almost run out, he would be arraigned with the dreadful and conclusive question "Would you have your daughter marry a nigger?"

An inventive genius of Newark, N. J., has conceived the idea of applying steam to the three-wheeled velocipede, leaving the rider nothing to do but to keep his seat, guide the machine, and hold on to his tiller, while speeding over the ground at a 2:40 rate. The plan of this genius is to construct a boiler, twelve inches in diameter by twenty-four in hight, to be placed over the hind axletree, in an upright position; the boiler to be made of the kind of steel now being experimented upon at Pittsburg, Pa., and which has already withstood a pressure of 750 pounds to the square inch. The water tank, of four gallons capacity, to be located under the seat, and to be so constructed as to form the brace from the fore to the hind wheel, and the exhaust steam to heat the water in the tank. Steam is to be generated by kerosene oil, to be fed to a furnace containing sand, through a syphon. To avoid the heat, the boiler is to be covered with felt and encased with wood. A boiler of the above dimensions would give one horse power, and sufficient fuel and water could be taken aboard for a four hour's ride. It would not be surprising if steam velocipedes should become a reality before long.

[From the Alta California, Feb. 9.]

By private advices we learn that the track-layers of the Central Pacific Railroad reached Humboldt Wells on Friday morning, February 5th and are now putting down the iron at the rate of three miles per day. The Central Pacific having come up with the unoccupied grading of the Union Pacific Road, had laid its rails on five miles of that grading at the date above mentioned. As the Central Pacific Company has extended a section of its grading to Ogden City, 222 miles from Humboldt Wells, and the Union Pacific Road is now within ten miles of Ogden, the latter road will return the compliment by using its rival's grading, in consonance with the agreement between the two companies. We have said that the distance from Humboldt Wells to Ogden City is 222 miles, and that the Union Pacific Railroad had its track laid to within ten miles of the last named point on the 5th of February; the gap between the two roads is accordingly less than 222 miles now, and the Central Pacific was then 142 miles from Monument Point, the goal of both companies. The stir and bustle in the grand army of the construction is described as being something wonderful and grand: every exertion is being strained in order to reach first the point which has been set up as the coveted prize of the two advancing columns. The best informed men consider it nearly certain that connections will be made and the line completed across the continent by the 1st of April next.

COMING TO TERMS.

Mr. Boyce, a prominent South Carolinian, in a recent letter, maintains that "Gen. Grant's election is a ratification by the people of universal suffrage, the subject of the 14th constitutional amendment, and establishes the legality of the existing State organizations South which have grown up under the reconstruction acts." He further admits that the election of Grant is a protest of the North against the violence and outrages originating in political causes, which have disgraced several of the Southern States, and a declaration that this condition of affairs shall, if necessary, be put down by Federal power. He, therefore, urges the people of the South to accept the situation and to create the internal harmony which is necessary for their material welfare.—The New Orleans *Times* publishes a long letter to the same purport, which it says comes from "an influential member of the Democratic party." The writer contends that it is absurd to argue against the 14th amendment, which has been ratified by the State legislatures, and endorsed by the people. Negro suffrage, he says, is an accomplished fact in Louisiana, and, therefore, he advises *Democrats* of the State to abandon their position, and to aid in establishing friendly relations between the whites and blacks, and between the State and Federal authority. They are reminded that the advent of the new administration furnishes a suitable oppportunity for acquiescing, quietly and in good faith, in what Gen. Grant may be expected to "sternly demand." Gen. Cullen A. Battle, of Alabama, who strongly supported Seymour and Blair, has published a letter, endorsing the Republican reconstruction policy. After saying that the issue during the late Presidential campaign "was nothing less than the being and nature of the national government," and that Seymour represented the "original system," and Grant was the exponent of new ideas, he considers the controversy now settled, and the action of Congress ratified by the States. The constitution, therefore, with its late amendments, he holds "is as binding on all citizens of the Union as when it came from the hands of Washington." The Democrats of the South are learning faster than their brethren of the North; but the latter will learn in time, and cease to imitate that very respectable old lady, Mrs. Partington.

The Bourbons.—All the living members of this family are descended from Louis XIII of France, who had two sons, Louis XIV and Philip Duke of Orleans; the latter is now represented by Louis Phillippe, Count of Paris, who claims the crown of France. Louis XIV. married the eldest sister and heiress of Charles II. of Spain, and had an only son, who died before him, leaving three sons—the first was Louis, Duke of Burgundy, who was the father of Louis XV., and is now represented by Count de Chambord, who claims the crown of France as Henry V.; the second, Philip V. of Spain, in right of his grandmother, married twice, his second wife being heiress to the Duchy of Parma, and left five sons, the three eldest, Louis, Ferdinand VI and Charles III, were successively Kings of Spain, and the fourth was in right of his mother Duke of Parma, and is now represented by Robert of Parma. Charles III. left five sons, viz: Charles IV. of Spain, Ferdinand I. of Naples, Gabriel, Anthony, and Francis. Ferdinand of Naples is now represented by Francis II. Charles IV. of Spain married Louisa of Parma, his cousin, and left three sons, viz: Ferdinand VII, the father of Isabella II., Don Carlos, who claimed the throne as heir male of his brother Ferdinand, and Francisco. Don Carlos left three sons—1st, Carlos Count of Montemolin, who died three or four years ago without issue; 2d, Don John, the father of the present claimant and two other sons; and 3d, Don Ferdinand. The third son of Charles IV., Don Francisco, left a large family, and his eldest son is the husband of Isabella II. *It will be thus seen, that the eldest* or French branch is represented by the Count de Chambord, the second or Spanish by the Count de Montemolin, the third or Neapolitan by Francis II., the fourth or Parmasan by Robert Duke of Parma, and the fifth or junior French by the Count of Paris.

Mr. Charles Dickens fulfils his promise to the readers of *All the Year Round* and sets up the circulation by special contributions. There are sparks of the old fire in "New Uncommercial Samples," but the ashes are thick as well. There is about some of the sketches a forced merriment, an unartistic exaggeration and a dependence upon absurd phraseology which ill supply the place of the humor which used to bubble over in Mr. Dickens's writings, and the fine insight which made the characters he portrayed live in the memory. Perhaps the constant experience of the crowded lecture room and the perpetual railway car is detrimental to careful composition. At all events Mr. Dickens at present is not in the vein.

Democratic Generosity.

The generosity and magnanimity of our Democratic friends is becoming immense. A short time since, they were loudly demanding repudiation and denouncing the debt contracted in putting down the rebellion, as a stupendous fraud. The scene changes—a claim has been presented to Congress by a woman named Murphy, who avers that she was a loyal woman, and that her house was destroyed by the shot and shell of the enemy, while being used as a fortification by the Federal troops and the Democratic press of the whole country including that of Oregon are crying "pay it, pay it!" Why this sudden change in the Democratic party? Why this extraordinary generosity? The solution is plain. It is either because they expect to derive great benefit from the fruits of their magnanimity or expect to bury the Republican party under the overwhelming load of debt, that they call upon a Republican Congress to incur. The claim of this woman is to be the entering wedge for thousands of similar claims. If it is allowed by Congress, claims will at once be presented for the value of slaves set free in the loyal States of Kentucky, Maryland and Delaware, by the emancipation proclamation, and just as much founded in justice. The house of the woman, Murphy, was used as an act of war, to stop rebel bullets. The slaves of rebels and loyalists, alike, were taken from them to prevent the rebel ranks from being filled, and Government might, with as much propriety, be called on to pay for the slaves of a loyal owner as to pay for a house destroyed in a battle. It is scarcely supposable that Government will do any such thing, but if this test claim is allowed, it will be a precedent for all others. This is exactly what the Democracy wish. They tried the people on the question of repudiation. The people were honest and replied by their vote in November that, large as the debt was, they would pay it honestly. The only hope then, of Democracy is, that the debt will become so stupendous that repudiation must ensue, and the shame and financial ruin of the country be laid to the Republican party! Democrats need not be troubled, however, the claim of Sue Murphy or any other person will not be aided by their clamor, for while their bitter hostility against paying the just debts of the nation, is so fresh, their sudden generosity is unseemly, and too palpably hypocritical. The Republican party will administer the Government for the next few years; and as there will be but few Democrats mixed up in its administration, it will probably be satisfactory to the people, if not to the Democratic party.—*Sentinel.*

Mining Under the Sea.—The miner's life can hardly be a cheerful one, exposed as he is to the many dangers of explosions, to fire-damp, of crumbling walls, of falls down fearful shafts, and the general unhealthfulness of working where the purifying sunbeams are ever excluded. But mining under the sea must have peculiar trials and terrors.

There is a vast copper mine in England where shafts extend many hundred yards under the sea. The moaning of the waves as they dash against the rock is forever sounding in those gloomy aisles. When the storms come, the sound of the water becomes so terrific, that even the boldest miners cannot stay below, but leave their work and come out upon the firm upper earth.

Overhead are masses of bright copper, streaming through the gallery in all directions, traversed by a network of thin red veins of iron, and over all the salt water drips, drips, down from tiny crevices in the rock.

Immense wealth of metal is contained in these roofs, but no miner dare give it another stroke with his pickaxe. Already there has been one day's work too much upon it, as a huge wedge of wood driven into the rocks bears witness. The wedge is all that keeps back the sea from bursting in upon them. Yet there are three tiers of galleries where men work day by day, not knowing but at some fatal hour the flood may be upon them, rendering all escape as hopeless as it was in the days of Noah.

The awe-stricken visitor hurries away from the scene, with a heart appalled in view of the hourly dangers. Who could win money at such a risk, with the sullen roar of ocean forever sounding its warning in his ears?

Historical Secret.—Another terrible State secret has been unearthed from the dust of three centuries. Juana, the mother of the Emperor Charles V., was the legitimate Queen of Spain. The historians say that she went mad in consequence of the sudden death of her husband, Philip; but, in reality, she was not mad at all, but was kept cruelly imprisoned, first by her father Ferdinand, and then by her son, the German Emperor Charles V., for fifty long years. The persecutions of which she was made a victim were commenced by her mother, Isabella, because Juana uttered heretical views about the persecution of heretics (burning at the stake, etc). After Isabella's death, her father, Ferdinand, continued to maltreat the poor woman, in order to reign in her place. Finally her own son, Charles V., confined her in a dungeon, and permitted himself to abuse and torture her when she refused to take part in the divine service held in the prison. These facts have been brought to light by a German historian, M. Bergenroth, who derived them from the autograph letters of Charles V., hitherto kept secret in the archives of Simancas, and published them.

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[illegible] Directors.
JAS. B. STITZEL, Secretary.
Portland, Oregon, Feb. [illegible], 1869. [illegible]

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That I could tell if I were a bee
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The New York "World" Satirized

[illegible] SOME OPINIONS ON CELEBRITIES NEVER BEFORE PUBLISHED

WASHINGTON, January 16th. I have just had an interview with General Grant and [illegible] some of his ideas of public men, as given in the opinion published in the New York *World*, which I herewith send you. Ben Franklin is unquestionably a rapid type-sticker, and his enterprise in collecting the latest news renders him invaluable to an almanac, but he is visionary. His theory about lightning rods protecting houses and barns during a thunder storm is one of the most absurd things I ever heard of. Old Parr is a young man of brilliant talents and ambitions, but he ought to take better care of himself. I fear that he is hastening to an early grave. Washington is an *efficient General* of Militia, and one of our most civil engineers. Many have censured him for that little affair with his father's cherry tree but I think it is *time for us to bury the hatchet*. I have never seen Webster yet, though I have read his dictionary. It is not surprising to me that a man of so many words couldn't be President. George Francis Train is one of our most noble women. His appeals in behalf of her sex are both powerful and convincing. No one can read her speeches without being convinced he ought to vote. Brick Pomeroy is the modern Alexander the Great, weeping because there are no more *Worlds* to conquer. What profiteth it a man though he gain the whole *World* and lose both his daily and weekly circulation? *I have no idea of* removing Nasby from the Post Office. He must be a substantial addition to the revenue of the Department, for his "letters" pass through every Post Office in the United States. Brigham Young is a multitudinous husband and a numerous father, who has certainly done a great deal for Utah. How far he is going to be allowed to "do" the United States remains to be seen. "J. N." is not so crazy as he might be. I am not sure but he would make a good Secretary of the Treasury. He is in favor of deeding all the land back to the Indians, and let the Indians assume the National debt. This would certainly be an easy and rapid solution of our financial difficulties. Peabody is a well-meaning man, of *much principle upon which he has* realized a great deal of interest. His princely gift to the London poor, I fear, is working harm. Men who were in comfortable circumstances before that donation was made, reduced themselves to abject beggary for the purpose of getting a portion of that legacy, thereby setting a very bad example, indeed. Fisk is a well-meaning man toward Fisk. He has great versatility of talent, and can run a big railroad, an opera house and the Springfield *Republican* all at once. He is not a temperance man exactly, but he don't take his *bowls* so much as he did. There is a great deal of useless talk about Morrissey's been in the "ring." A Member of Congress who isn't in some sort of a "ring" now-a-days is very rare, indeed; and there are few of those "rings" as respectable as the prize ring. Big men have helped Morrissey to fortune. His club-house is said to be the house that *Vander-built*. Yours, etc.,

FAT CONTRIBUTOR, *Cincinnati Times*.

THE KEOKUK CANAL.—The great canal now building, with the aid of the Government, around the rapids of the Mississippi river at Keokuk, is in a fair way of completion. The following detail of the work, from the Chicago *Republican*, will be found interesting:

"The rapids known as the lower rapids lead from Keokuk twelve miles north to Montrose. The canal around the lower part of the rapids is to be seven and a half miles long. Beginning at the Pilot House at Keokuk, and running to the village of Nashville, the width of the canal will be from three hundred to four hundred feet in earth embankments, and two hundred and fifty feet in rock excavation. It will give six feet depth in low water and can have eight feet in high water. The outside wall will be of earth protected by stone rip-rap; will be ten feet wide on top, with a slope on the sides of one and one-half base to one vertical on the outside, and one and one-quarter base to one vertical on the inside, and will vary from eighteen to thirty feet in height, so as to carry it above the high water mark of 1851. There is to be a guard lock at the upper end and two lift locks, one near the middle, having a lift of eight feet, and one at Keokuk, lifting ten and three-fourths feet. The guard lock can also be used as a lift whenever the water in the river is three or four feet above low water mark. The locks are to be three hundred and fifty feet long and eighty feet wide. Enough water will be let into the canal to give a flow of one mile per hour, which will give a water power at Keokuk of about 1,200 horse power. The present appropriation of Congress under which the work is done is $700,000. The entire cost of the work is estimated at $2,590,000.

MRS. GRANT AND THE RENTED HOUSE.—Mrs Grant wishes the General to retain the house they are living in now through his term, making it his private residence, and using the "White House" only for business and receptions. This is not a bad idea, as it is well known that our Presidents have been dreadfully harrassed by business calls. Harrison and Taylor were killed outright by it. Mrs Grant's plan is (as it has been reported to me) for the General to receive business calls from 10 A. M. to 6 P. M., and spend the rest of his time with his family, and out of business hours to persistently, peremptorily, refuse to see anybody. Reception evenings, of course, he would, with his ladies, repair to the Executive mansion.—*Washington Cor. Detroit Times.*

GRANT NOT LONESOME.—"Good evening, General Grant," said a pleasant office-seeker the other night to the President elect, "I have not been to see you since election."

"Plenty have," said Grant; "I have not been lonesome."

A person who overheard this says the droll soberness of Grant saying it was worthy of Garrick.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street. By order of M. E. H. P.

Nonpareil Lodge No. 86, I. O. G. T. Meets [illegible] Hall on [illegible] street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Members in good standing are invited to attend. [illegible] W. C. T.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F. Meets every Friday evening at [illegible] story, opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the [illegible] invited to attend. [illegible] Portland, February [illegible] 1868. 1tf

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SAN FRANCISCO, February 18, 1868.

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[illegible] the past [illegible] years [illegible] must have [illegible] in writing [illegible] will [illegible]

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H. F. WILLIAMS,
[illegible] Stow Foundation Pavement [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. [illegible] 1868.

Henry F. Williams, Esq., President [illegible]

[illegible] asking me to give in writing my opinion relative to the several kinds of street pavement [illegible] before me, and to say [illegible] I became a municipal officer [illegible] many years there [illegible] pavement used [illegible] the city [illegible] Nicolson pavement [illegible] was received with much favor [illegible] many portions of our streets were paved with the Nicolson Pavement, so called; still later, that is to say, about two years ago, the "Stow Foundation Pavement" was introduced here by the inventor, and many of our public streets have since been paved with that pavement.

A sufficient length of time has, I think, elapsed to enable any person who has given the subject any attention to form an intelligent opinion as to the merits of the respective wooden pavements, and I have [illegible] conclusion that, in many respects, such as adaptability to our wants and in durability, the Stow is the superior pavement. But, were the two pavements equal in every other respect, the facility with which the Stow can be taken up and relaid, whenever it becomes necessary to displace it for the purpose of laying down gas and water pipes, should, in my judgment, entitle it to preference in public favor.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
FRANK McCOPPIN,
Mayor of the City of San Francisco.

We, the undersigned, have carefully read the above letter from his Honor, Frank McCoppin, to H. F. Williams, Esq., upon the subject of street paving, and we fully indorse every word it contains.

MONROE ASHBURY, Supervisor 6th District.
P. H. CANAVAN, Supervisor 11th District.
A. J. SHRADER, Supervisor [illegible] District.
C. H. STANYAN, Supervisor 12th District and Chairman Street Committee.
ED. FLAHERTY, Supervisor 3d District.
JOHN HARROLD, Supervisor 2d District.
HENRY WINKLE, Supervisor 1st District.
EDWARD NUNAN, Supervisor 10th District.
D. D. SHATTUCK, Supervisor 8th District.
RICHARD KING, Supervisor 7th District.
J. B. E. CAVALIER, Supervisor 5th District.
R. BEVERLY COLE, Supervisor 4th District.
M. C. SMITH, Superintendent of streets.
GEORGE COFRAN, Ex-Superintendent of streets.
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J. N. BURSON, Dep. Supt. of streets.
D. S. DIKEMAN, Dep. Supt. Streets.
JOHN D. GRISWOLD, Dep. Supt. of streets.
R. A. ROBINSON, Dep. Supt. of streets.
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LEWIS P. SAGE, [illegible]
JAMES SCOTT, [illegible]
[illegible] L. ROBINSON, Civil Eng[illegible]
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GEORGE A. WORN, Real Estate Agent.
CHARLES MAYNE, President Market street Railroad Company.
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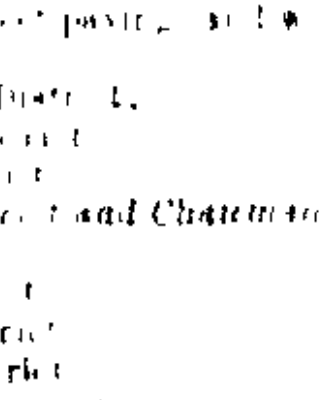

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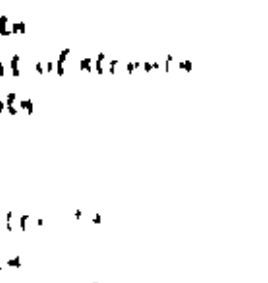

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U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. fe13d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 11TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for [illegible] Oregon against the estate of B. Wood [illegible] Spencer, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. 1s2d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 15TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States against the estate of O. Smiley, of Wolamette Precinct, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. AL. ZIEBER,
f15d31sf U. S. Marshal for said District.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of James Bothwell, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said [illegible] are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the [illegible] day of March, [illegible] o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
fel6d30t U. S. Marshal for said District.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Isaiah Greer, of LaGrand, in the county of Union, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 19TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Robert W. Cochran, of Lagrand, in the county of Union, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition: that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more *Assignees of his estate* will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United *States for the District of Oregon; against the estate of* James Cunningham, of the Dalles, Wasco county, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, in said District, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register *in Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of February*, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. 12d30t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—This is to give notice that on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John Williams, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j1sd30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, 1869, a warrant of bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of Tobias Thomas, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, to his use or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, said debtor, are forbidden by law, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. 120d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of H. S. Aiken, of Astoria, county of Clatsop, and State of Oregon, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him or to his use and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
Per W. H. WEST, Deputy. j14d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of December, A. D. 1868, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of James B. Harlow, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the [illegible] day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
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15142 From Fairfield, (n. o.) by Saint Louis, Waconda, Parkersville, Monitor, and Needy, to Oregon City, 26 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Fairfield Tuesday at 7 a m;
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Leave Oregon City Wednesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Fairfield by 6 p m.

15143 From Astoria, by Clatsop, Summer House, (n. o.) *Elk Creek, (n. o.) Nehalem, (n. o.) Miami Point,* (n. o.) Chilches Point, (n. o.) and Netarch Landing, (n. o.) to Tillamook, 60 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Astoria Tuesday at 7 a m,
Arrive at Tillamook next day by 6 p m;
Leave Tillamook Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Astoria next day by 6 p m.

15144 From Dallas, by Salt Creek and Hall's, (n. o.) to Grand Ronde, 20 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Dallas Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Grand Ronde by 12 m;
Leave Grand Ronde Tuesday at 2 p m,
Arrive at Dallas by 8 p m.

15145 From Portland, by Taylor's Ferry, (n. o.) Dayton, Amity, Rickreal, and Monmouth, to Corvallis, 80 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Corvallis next day by 7 p m;
Leave Corvallis Thursday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Portland next day by 7 p m.

15146 *From Centreville to Forest Grove, 5 miles and* back, once a week.
Leave Centreville Monday at 10 a m;
Arrive at Forest Grove Monday by 12 m;
Leave Forest Grove Monday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Centreville by 3 p m.

15147 From Portland, by Hillsborough, Forest Grove, and West Chehalem, to Lafayette, 47 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Portland Monday and Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Lafayette next days by 1 p m,
Leave Lafayette Tuesday and Friday at 2 p m,
Arrive at Portland next days by 8 p m.

15148 From Salem, by Lincoln, to Wheatland, 27 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Salem Wednesday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Wheatland by 5 p m,
Leave Wheatland Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Salem by 5 p m.

15149 From Auburn, by Pocahontas, (n. o.) Riggsville, (n. o.) Birch Creek (n. o.) and Dealy's Station *(n. o.) to Umatilla, with a branch to Granite* Creek Mines, (n. o.) — miles and back, once a week.
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15150 From The Dalles, by Simcoe, (n. o.) to Thorpe's (n. o.) 90 miles and back once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Thorpe's Wednesday by 7 p m;
Leave Thorpe's Thursday at 7 a m,
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 7 p m.
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15151 From Umatilla, by the county seat of Yakima County and the Snoqualmie Pass, to Seattle, Washington Territory, 225 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Umatilla Monday at 8 a m,
Arrive at Seattle Sunday by 6 p m;
Leave Seattle Monday at 8 a m,
Arrive at Umatilla Sunday by 6 p m.

15152 From Express Ranch, by Rye Valley, (n. o.) to *Humboldt Basin, (n. o.) 18 miles and back,* once a week.
Leave Express Ranch Wednesday at 12 m,
Arrive at Humboldt Basin by 7 p m,
Leave Humboldt Basin Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Express Ranch by 2 p m.

15153 From The Dalles, by Rockland, (n. o.) Washington Territory, Block House, (n. o.) and Simcoe (n. o.) to Yakima, (n. o.) 90 miles and back, once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Yakima Wednesday by 12 m;
Leave Yakima Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 12 m.

15154 From Albany, by Boston Mills, (n. o.) to Brownsville, 23 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Albany Monday at 8 a m,
Arrive at Brownsville by 6 p m;
Leave Brownsville Tuesday at 8 a m,
Arrive at Albany by 6 p m.

15155 From Portland, by Bridgeport, (n. o.) and Chehalem Gap, (n. o.) to Dayton, 30 miles and back once a week.
Leave Portland Wednesday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Dayton by 6 p m;
Leave Dayton Thursday at 6 a m,
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15156 From Corvallis by King's Valley, Philomath, [illegible] Summit, Hoptonstall's, (n. o.) Pioneer City, Little Elk, Yaquina, Oysterville, [illegible], Newton and Toledo to Newport seventy miles and back three times a week from May to November and once a week the residue of year.
(N. B. 1st May to November.)
Leave Corvallis Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Newport next day by [illegible] p m,
Leave Newport Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at [illegible] m,
Arrive at Corvallis Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday by 8 p m.
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Leave Corvallis Monday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Newport Wednesday by [illegible] p m,
Leave Newport two hours after arrival,
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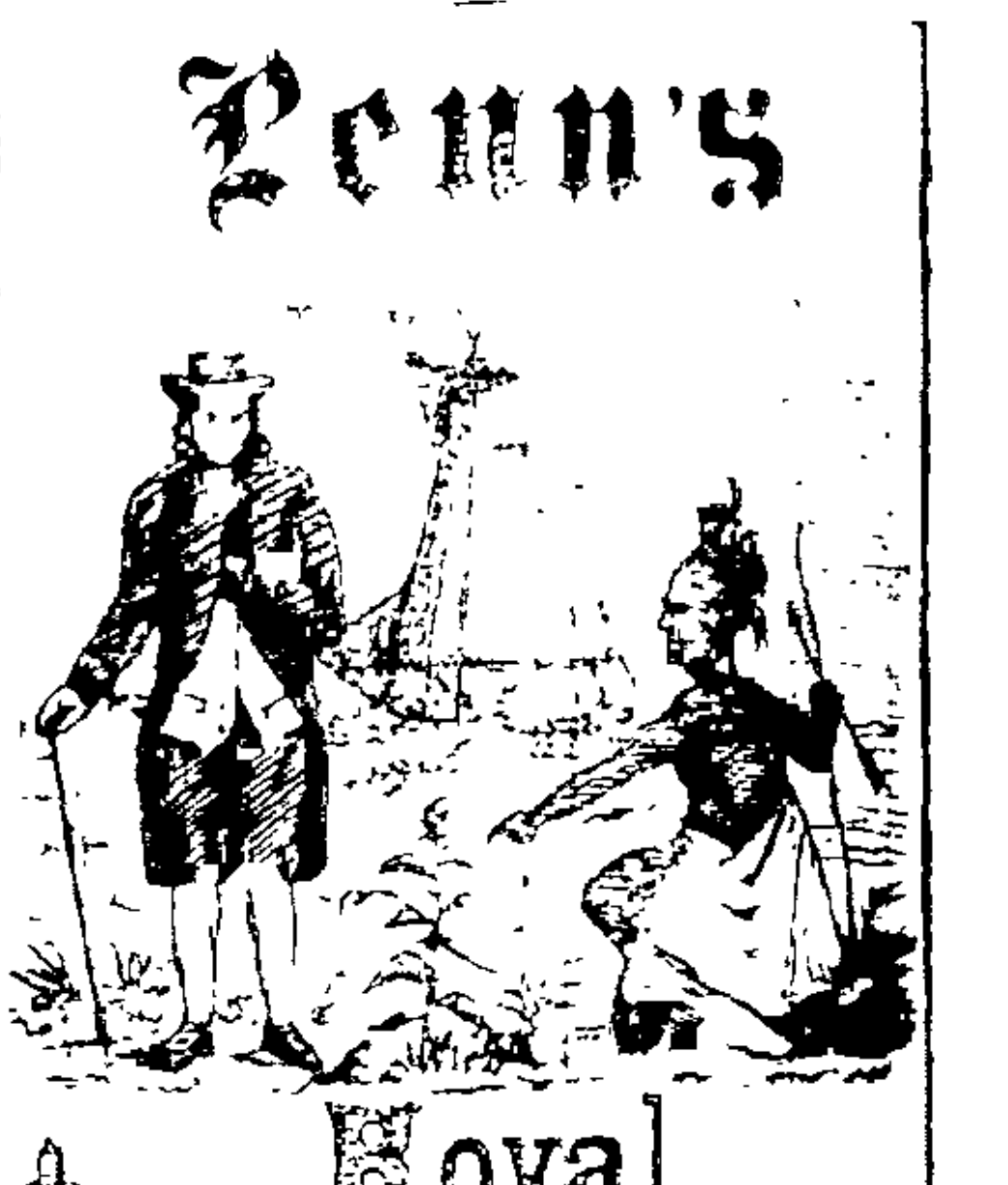

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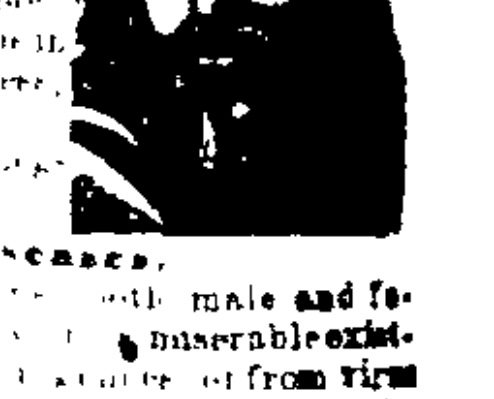

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEB. 23, 1869.

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates .... 74@76¼
New York Gold Quotations......... 134¼

A MISUNDERSTANDING AND DISAPPOINTMENT.—On Saturday we published an item stating that the afternoon boat for Oregon City would delay her departure till half past three, to accommodate those who might wish to attend the ball at the Cliff House. We got the information upon which the item was based, from Col. White of Oregon City, and we supposed it to be all right. When however, the *Senator* appeared at the upper wharf yesterday and blew her whistle for a start at the usual hour—two o'clock—a gentleman applied to Capt. Kellogg to know if he was not going to wait *till half-past three* in accordance with the published announcement. Capt. Kellogg replied somewhat contemptuously that "that was only a newspaper item," and that he "had no orders about waiting." *He was informed that a considerable number of people wished to go up,* but that supposing the boat would not start till half-past three, they would not appear till near that hour. The Captain was, however, inexorable and he started at the usual hour. We know that a good many people were disappointed,—not only persons who wanted to go to the ball, but others who wanted to go up the river. These were misled, of course, by the newspaper items—all the papers published it—but it strikes us that if Capt. Kellogg or any other man of the P. T. Co. who knew that there was no such arrangement, had intimated as much to the newspaper reporters, the error might have been corrected, much to the gratification of all parties. *Everybody could have gone at two o'clock if they had known* that the steamer would wait no later than that. There is sometimes such a thing as standing a little too much on "dig."

FROM TACOMA.—Conversing with a gentleman lately from the Sound country, says the *Commercial*, we learn that times are lively at the prospective town of Tacoma. Lots are selling readily at $200 apiece; $100 of which is paid down in coin, and the remainder when the railroad shall be completed to that place; providing, that it is within five years. Improvements of all kinds are going ahead, and the coming season *promises to be one of unusual activity.* Two companies are each making arrangements to erect large saw mills in the immediate vicinity of the town. The frame of one has already been raised. *Its dimensions are 500x60.* A set of thirty-two saws, [illegible] a large circular, will be kept constantly running. Lumber commands exorbitant prices, and is hard to obtain at any rate. Rough lumber meets with rapid sale at $15; while planed sells at $25. Within the last few days an advance of $5 on the thousand, of all kinds of lumber has taken place. Mr. C. Nash, of Tacoma, has lately purchased the hull of a steamer of a company, and contemplates refitting it and constructing a cabin. It is to ply between Tacoma and Port Townsend via. Seattle. All the machinery to be used in both the proposed mills at that place will be cast at the foundries in this city, and we are also informed that parties are now in Portland for the purpose of negotiating terms and completing the orders.

VELOCIPEDAL.—The opening out of the velocipedes at Norman's yesterday, was an era in Portland. From early morning till nearly dark, there was a crowd of men, boys, and not infrequently a sprinkling of ladies, standing around, viewing and talking about the "go-cart." Much of the time the sidewalk *was so crowded as to be* a serious inconvenience to passers. There were not a few of the spectators who were willing and anxious to [illegible] the untamed critter; but Mr. Norman wisely declined all offers of that sort. The vehicles have cost him a large amount of money, in consequence of coming as fast freight and being boxed up in running trim, instead of being taken to pieces and packed economically. But Mr. Norman is entitled to the honor of exhibiting the first velocipedes in Portland. They are very [illegible] finished and graceful in form. The patentee, [illegible] Witty, of New York, hearing of this [illegible] sent to Mr. Norman, has notified him by letter through the [illegible] that he has a patent covering this velocipede with the two wheels, treadles and guiding arms, and that he will proceed at law against all infringements by manufactures, upon his patent.

PASSENGERS FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—The following is the memoranda and passenger list of the steamer *Continental*, which failed to reach us on Sunday: Memoranda—The C. O. & M. S. S. Co's steamship *Continental*, Wm. Metzger, commander, sailed from San Francisco Feb. 18th at 10 A. M.; crossed Columbia bar Feb. 20th at 3:30 P. M.; arrived at Portland Feb. 21st at 7 A. M. Passengers—Gen Whipple, U S A, Col Platt, U S A, Capt [illegible], U S A, Capt White, U S N, S Storer, J C Humphreys, Miss Katy W[illegible], R M Allen, D B Foster, H M Brall, A H [illegible], G D Henry, Thos Kilpatrick, Miss N B [illegible], W P C[illegible], Geo Thatcher, S [illegible], J C[illegible], E W Slocum, W L Wood, J A [illegible], J Scott, S A Hawley, L Friedman, Andrew Healy, R Cole, H G York, D Johns, D Blanton, P [illegible], F F [illegible], B V Thorn, (W. F. & Co's messenger), and 54 [illegible].

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON, JUDGE.—Proceedings of Monday, 22d:

D. M. W[illegible] vs. Jas. H. Fisk and Frank Dalton; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

State of Oregon vs J[illegible]; larceny; sentenced to confinement in county jail for sixty days.

Charles Barrett vs Hugh Stoop; dismissed at cost of plaintiff without prejudice.

W[illegible], Weil & Co., vs. H. H. Snow et al; jury empaneled and all the testimony heard.

State of Oregon vs James H. Lappeus; indictment for [illegible] with a dangerous weapon; arraigned and allowed till Tuesday to plead.

J. McHenry vs W. B. Taylor, order for publication of summons.

A WOMAN ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.—We have a letter from Joseph L. Meek, which details the accidental killing of Mrs. Rachael Elizabeth Clark, of Washington county, last Saturday. Her husband had just returned from a hunting expedition, bringing in a deer. Mrs. Clark ran out to assist him, and while conversing with him, *reached for the gun which was hanging against the* fence. The hammer struck the fence when the gun went off and lodged twenty-five buckshot in her breast. She leaves a husband and two young children; was a native of Clay county, Missouri, and twenty-one years of age. An inquest was held by Mr. J. L. Meek and a verdict was rendered by the jury in accordance with the above facts. Missouri papers are requested to copy this item.

WHITE PINE.—The name of these new and fabulously [illegible], is in the mouth of nearly everybody and [illegible] danger of a stampede not unlike the many [illegible] have occurred in this upper country in years past. [illegible] we see frequent notices in the Idaho and Walla [illegible] of the departure of considerable numbers [illegible], and the mania is laying hold upon even the said W[illegible]. The *Commercial* of last evening says: "Several of our citizens contemplate journeying to White Pine in a short time. Among several we have heard [illegible], are Messrs. A. J. Knott, G. W. Bowen, and *Dr. G. W. Brown. Many have already departed.*" We have heard of several departures from the country east of the mountains.

LIBRARY LECTURE AT PHILHARMONIC HALL.—The fourth [illegible] in the course for the benefit of the Library Association, will be delivered this evening, by Rev. T. L. Eliot; Subject—"History of Railroads." Doors open at 7 o'clock; *Lecture to commence at ½ past 7; admission 50 cents.* Mr. Eliot is an unusually interesting speaker, and we doubt not he will make his lecture on the subject in which we all have at present a paramount interest, more attractive than any which have preceded it in this course. The hall should be full. Entrance from First street, next door to the Dispensary.

MILITARY PARADE.—Washington Guard and Emmet Guard turned out on parade yesterday in honor of the anniversary of Washington's birth. The former marched up Front street to the armory of the Emmet Guard and being joined by the latter, the column marched through some of the principal streets, to martial music, with the national colors and the green flag of Erin, presenting a really good military and animating appearance. The day being remarkably pleasant, the parade was witnessed by a very *large turn-out of citizens.*

[illegible] DEPARTMENT.—The Directors of School District No. 1, of this county, are making arrangements to have a "Higher Department" organized in the North Portland School. This has not been done before because the proper rooms have never been furnished. The [illegible] *Continental* brought up the seats, which are made of cast-iron, and the desks, which rest on cast-iron frames. When organized, this Higher Department will be under the charge of Prof. Johnson.

DOWN THE RIVER.—A letter from Astoria, dated the 20th, states that the bark *Osmond* came over the bar that morning, after having lain off the bar eleven days, waiting for a pilot..... The receipts of the ladies' Congregational Festival of Friday evening, were about $215. Between forty and fifty dollars' worth of material remained on hand to be disposed of..... The bark *Adelia* and *Almatia* and the steamer *Wilson G. Hunt* were still in the river.

PERSONAL.—The friends of Mr. Ed. Barstow who was for a long time deputy County Clerk of this county, will *regret to learn that his removal to California has not resulted* favorably to his health. A private letter to this city states that he is steadily declining, though he still continues to fill a clerkship in the Pacific Union Express Co's office at *San Francisco. Hollad ill health when he* left this city.

LOW WATER.—The Wallamett at this city has gone down muchly. River men say that the water rarely gets lower than now in the driest months of summer. All the usual difficulties of low water navigation are experienced daily, not only between here and Oregon City but *upon the river above the falls.*

POLITICAL ALMANACS.—We have from McCormick a copy each of the *Tribune* and *Democratic* Almanacs for the year 1869. They are replete with interesting political matter and other facts, conveniently arranged for reference and preservation. McCormick has any quantity of the Almanacs.

THE BARK OSMYN.—We learn from Capt. Fisher that the bark *Osmyn*, which had been for a day or two fast on a bar below St. Helens, has succeeded in getting off, and when he passed her yesterday she was several miles on her way to this city. She will be here probably to-day.

TO BE WITHDRAWN.—We learn that the steamship *Active* is to be withdrawn from the Portland and Victoria trade, and that the steamship *Gussie Telfair* will shortly arrive to take her place. *It is expected the latter* will sail from San Francisco next Friday.

IN MEMORIAM.—The national flag was displayed at the heads of most of the flag staffs in the city, *yesterday* in honor of the memory of George Washington. The display was strangely reminded of the rebellion, upon occasions of Union victories.

A GOOD NAME.—One of the members of the East Portland Base Ball Club, organized the other day, wishes us to say that the name is the "Energetic Club," instead of East Portland Club. We rather like that—it sounds like business.

THE WASHINGTON GUARDS' BALL.—The Sixth Annual ball of the Washington Guard took place at the Company's Armory [illegible] it was the ball of the season. There were present about eighty couples, just about as many as would fill the hall comfortably. The music was excellent [illegible] party passed off just about as gay and festive as it was [illegible].

MARRIED.—[illegible] Oregon [illegible] of Portland, was married on the 13th to Miss Ellafonce P. Roble also of this city.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.—This court met yesterday morning but without transacting any business of importance adjourned until next Monday.

THE NEXT STEAMER.—It is stated that the steamship *Oriflamme* will sail from San Francisco for Portland, next Saturday.

T[illegible] SAIL.—The steamer [illegible] will sail for San Francisco at [illegible] o'clock P. M. to-morrow.

FREIGHT FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamer *Continental*, brought up, on her last trip, about [illegible] tons general merchandise.

ARRIVAL.—The steamer *Active* from Victoria, arrived at 12.30 *this morning.*

Cheap Iron

THE ELLERSHAUSEN PROCESS—ITS GREAT VALUE.

From the N. Y. Times.

The recent and remarkable invention of Mr. Ellershausen, which is now regularly in use in Pittsburg, and is being rapidly introduced all over the country, has greatly advanced the solution of this important problem. So many new steel and iron processes are brought to notice every day, that the unprofessional reader cannot keep track of their names and aims. The value of this process may be inferred from the fact that a no less respectable Board of Trustees than Messrs. Asam L. Hawitt, E. B. Ward, Jas. Harrison, Jr., and several Pittsburg iron masters are now granting licenses under the Ellershausen patent.

The process consists in the conversion of crude cast iron, as it runs from the smelting furnace, into wrought iron, by the simple admixture of granulated iron ore. It is carried out at the works of Messrs. Shonberger, at Pittsburg, in the following manner: On the casting floor of the smelting furnace, a cast iron turn-table, about 15 feet in diameter, is revolved on rollers by a small steam engine. *Upon the outside edge of the* table stand a row of cast iron partitions, forming boxes, say 20 inches wide and 10 inches high, open at the top. Just above the circle of boxes stands a stationary, wide-mouthed spout, terminating in the tap hole of the furnace. When the furnace is tapped, the liquid iron runs down this *spout, and falls out of it in a thin stream into the* boxes as they slowly revolve under it, depositing in each a thin film of iron say one eighth of an inch thick. But before the fall of melted iron reaches the boxes it is intercepted, or rather crossed, at right angles, by a thin fall of pulverized iron ore, which also runs out of a wide spout *from a reservoir above.* These two streams or falls are of about equal volume, say one quarter of an inch deep and 20 inches wide. A workman with a bar in the tap hole, regulates the stream of iron, and the iron spout from which the liquid metal falls into the boxes is removable; other spouts, previously coated with loam and dried, being attached to a common revolving frame, so as to be ready for use when the loam covering of the first becomes cracked or removed.

The thin layers of iron and ore soon chill and solidify, so that by taking away the outer partition of the boxes (which form the rim of the turn-table) they may be removed in cakes of the size of the boxes, and weighing about 200 lbs. each. Four of these cakes or blooms are put into a reverberatory puddling or heating furnace, and raised to a bright yellow heat. They will not melt at this heat, but become softened so as to be easily broken up with a bar. The four blooms are formed, in the furnace, by the "rabble" of the workmen, as in ordinary puddling operations, into eight balls. The balls are brought out, one after another, squeezed in the ordinary "squeezers" to expel the cinder and superfluous ore, and then rolled into wrought iron bars, *which are now ready for market, or for farther reduction into* smaller finished forms.

The chemistry of the operation is as follows. The crude cast-iron contains say five per cent. of carbon and two per cent. of silicon, and more or less sulphur, phosphorus and other impurities. In the Bessemer process, *the oxygen of the air, blown* into the liquid iron, combines with the carbon and these other impurities, and not only removes them, but leaves the pure iron in a liquid state, from which it can be cast into homogeneous masses of any size. In the puddling process, the oxygen of the air and of the ore or other "fettling" *put into the furnace with the iron, combines* with and eliminates the impurities, which are afterward squeezed out of the pasty mass by the squeezers and rolls. This process is long and comparatively expensive, because the mixture of oxygen or oxygen-bearing substances is not made intimate with the iron except by long stirring, which is not only skillful, but exhausting work.

In the Ellershausen process the oxygen of the ore or oxide of iron (magnetic oxide is preferred) combines with the carbon and impurities, eliminating them as in the puddling process, and the iron of the ore increases the product. The chemical combination of the ore and the liquid crude iron appears to take place partly at the time of their contact when falling and lying upon the turn-table, and partly where the reheating occurs in the furnace. It seems impossible that a reaction which is so violent in the Bessemer process, and so prolonged in puddling, should take place so quickly and quietly in the new process, but the fact that the cakes of iron and ore do not melt by subsequent heating, as cast-iron would, proves that its nature is changed by the first contact of ore. The removal of sulphur and of phosphorus *also seems more thorough than in the other processes.* Analyses at different stages of the operation will throw more light on this question.

The remarkable feature of the Ellershausen process is that absolutely no skill is required to carry it out. The proportion of ore mixed is intended to be about thirty per cent., but if too much is *added, it is readily squeezed out with the slag,* and seems to do no harm. The subsequent heating occupies about half an hour. "Puddle bar," the product obtained from the first rolling of the product of the puddling furnace is never marketable or finished iron. It is usually very ragged and unsound, and requires subsequent piling, *reheating and rerolling, to expel the impurities,* and to give it soundness and solidity. The new process appears to produce merchantable iron at the first rolling, and at Pittsburg, from a very inferior pig iron, made of one half sulphurous Canada ores, and one quarter Lake Superior and one quarter Iron mountain ores.

The thoroughness and rapidity of the purification by this process, evidently depend on the intimacy of the mixture of iron and ore. This intimate mixture is also the essence of the Bessemer process. In fact, to Mr. Bessemer's original apprehension of this idea of intimate mechanical mixture, the greatest modern improvements in the iron manufacture are due.

The Ellershausen process is said to decrease the cost of wrought iron from $10 to $20, or $30 per ton, according to the materials used and the form of product required. That it is a success is amply proved by regular working at Pittsburg and many experiments elsewhere, and if anything like this economy can be realized, its value to the public will only be exceeded by that of the Bessemer process. The latter process, however, produces *steel*, which is absolutely homogeneous, and of regulated hardness, according to the wear and service required, and hence indispensable for rails, tires and various machinery purposes. Any iron product that is not cast from a liquid state, is subject to all the structural defects of ordinary wrought iron.

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NIGHT SCHOOL.—Mr. Fitzgerald has opened a Night School in the school house on [illegible] near the Catholic Church. For Terms see the Teacher.

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Good Templars.—All members of Nonpareil Lodge, I. O. G. T., are requested to meet at their Hall, Poppleton's Building, First street, on Wednesday evening, 24th inst., at 7½ o'clock, as business of importance will be transacted.

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REDEMPTION.

State Relief Bonds.

STATE OF OREGON, Treasurer's office,
Salem, Feb. 11, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVed by the undersigned, at his office, until 12 o'clock M., March 13th, 1869, for the surrender of RELIEF BONDS, issued under the provisions of "An Act of the Legislative Assembly, granting Relief to Volunteers of this State enlisted in the service of the United States, approved Oct. 24, 1864," at the lowest rates not exceeding par value as may redeem the greatest number of Bonds. Bids to include interest to date of surrender.

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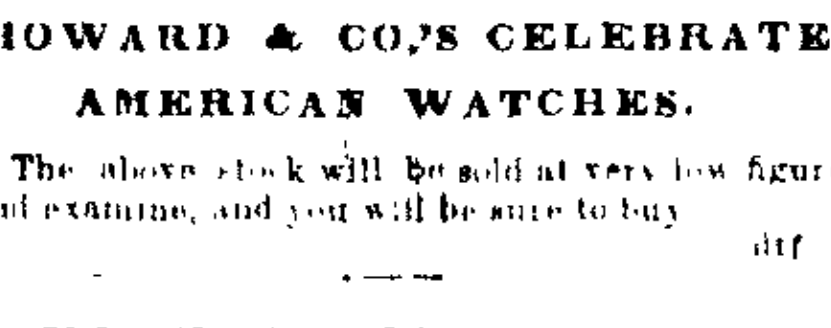

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF AN order issued out of the County Court of Multnomah county, Oregon, I will offer at public sale, at the Court *house door in the city of Portland, on Thursday, the 25th* day of February, 1869, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., the following Real Estate: Block F in Caruthers' Addition to the city of Portland and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and Fractions 9 and 10 in Block 82; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, [illegible] 11, 12 and 17, and Fractions 5 and 8 in Block [illegible]; Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 8, and Fractions 4 and 5 in Block 87; Lots 2, 3, 4 and 5 in Block 88, and Block 8 in [illegible] Addition to the city of Portland (see map of [illegible]) at the Banking House of Messrs. Ladd & Tilton; terms cash gold coin in hand; deeds at purchaser's expense.

W. S. LADD, Adm'r
of the Estate of P. [illegible], deceased.

Portland, Jan 26, 1869. [illegible]

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah in the matter of the Guardianship of Dennis Watson, a minor, the undersigned guardian will sell at public auction, at the Court House door, in the city of Portland, for cash in gold coin of the United States, on the 20th day of March, 1869, at [illegible] o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of said minor in [illegible] of Block 8 in [illegible] in the city of Portland, [illegible] with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging.

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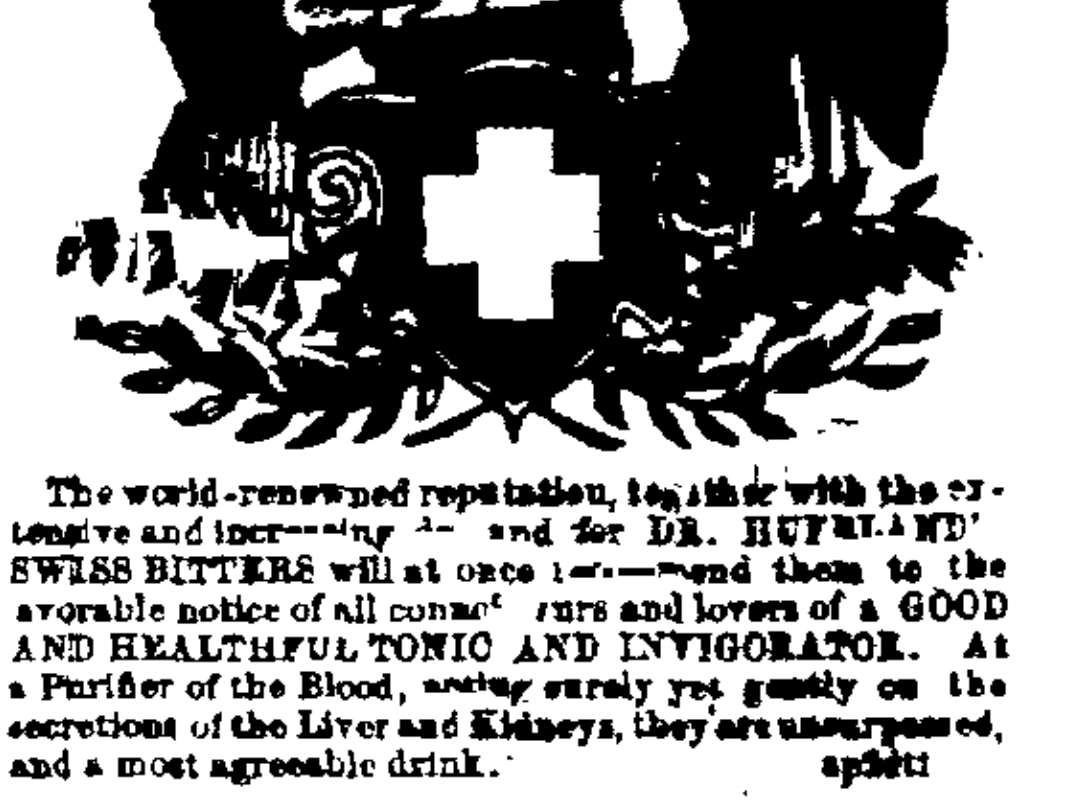

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEB 23, 1869.

Development of National Wealth.

One true policy as a nation, having in view the necessity of paying a heavy public debt, is to pursue such a course as will increase the property and wealth of the country, rather than rely on extinguishing the debt by heavy taxation of present values. The truth was stated with great force in a speech delivered in Congress in favor of the Northern Pacific Railroad, by Hon William Windom, of Minnesota. During the forty years from 1793 to 1833, the increase of wealth in Great Britain was one hundred and fifty-one per cent. During the same period the increase of wealth in the United States was two hundred and fifty-three per cent. Coming down to more recent dates, the disparity of increase of the United States is still greater. During the thirty years prior to 1860, the increase of wealth in the United States was five hundred and eight per cent., while in Great Britain it was only sixty-nine per cent. Thus during the first period when our percentage of increase would be supposed to be greatest, our gain was less than double that of Great Britain, but during the last period, the era of railroad development, our gain has been more than *seven times* that of Great Britain. These facts show the relative ability of the two nations to bear their respective burdens, and indicate that our wealth is increasing so rapidly that taxation can be steadily diminished. There will soon be vastly more property for the debt to rest upon. Our national policy should be such as will increase the aggregate of property at the most rapid rate; and herein is the strongest argument for the complete railroad system which is now engaging the attention of Congress and the country.

Mr. Windom put the argument in favor of the Northern Pacific Railroad in this strong light:

> Great Britain, with a debt much larger than ours; with a smaller population; with a far less ratio of increase in population, wealth and annual products; with a standing army at least five times as great as ours to support, loans her credit to the amount of $140,000,000 to build four thousand six hundred miles of railroad for the purpose of developing one of her remote dependencies; and yet we pause and question our ability when it is proposed to loan the credit of our Government to the extent of only about fifty millions, in order to insure the construction of two thousand miles more of railroad, which will develop in every heart of the great Republic the incalculable wealth that now lies but half concealed in its vast prairies and mountains. If it be prudent for Great Britain to do so much for far-distant India; if France, with a debt almost as large as ours, with a population that in sixty years has increased one tenth as rapidly as ours, with a standing army of from four hundred thousand to seven hundred and fifty thousand men to support—if France, under these circumstances, acts wisely in granting her credit to the extent of $620,000,000 in order to develop the resources of a country not larger than one of our States, shall it be said that we are injudicious and reckless of the nation's credit when we propose a loan of only about fifty million dollars to open up a great highway for the world's commerce and to develop the wealth of five hundred thousand square miles of the richest mineral and agricultural territory on the globe?

Reports furnished by the Quartermaster General show that more than fifty per cent. of the amount expended in recent Indian wars has been expended in efforts against the Indians on or near the line of the Northern Pacific road. The Government could have absolutely built the road with the money thus expended, and thus settled the Indian question in the Northern Territories forever.

Every phase of the argument in behalf of the Northern Pacific road is fully presented in this admirable and exhaustive speech by Mr. Windom. The argument fills a pamphlet of sixty pages, and is therefore too long for us to print entire; but we have seen no document in which the subject has been so ably treated or fully presented. We append only a single additional passage, in which it is argued that our Pacific railways may be made to furnish a sinking fund to pay the national debt:

> This proposition contains nothing new or chimerical. France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Austria and Holland, following the example of Belgium, have all adopted a system whereby their railways furnish a sinking fund for such purpose. A large portion of the public debt of all those nations will by the application of the fund thus raised be extinguished at the end of various terms of eighty-five, ninety, and ninety-nine years. In France it will in less than ninety years entirely relieve the people of the whole burden of the national debt of $2,206,000,000. This sinking fund is raised in the countries named by the imposition of a small tax or duty on the earnings of their roads. Why may we not act upon this principle, and thereby make our railroads the means of still greater relief to the tax-payers of the nation? The principle involved has been found practically successful in other countries; may it not be so in ours? It would perhaps be improper to attempt it upon roads built wholly by private enterprise and private capital; but not so in regard to the Pacific roads, which are so largely aided by the Government, and which are national in their character. They are the recipients of the nation's favors, and it is eminently proper that they should contribute directly to the discharge of the national obligations.
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> A Government tax of only two per cent. on gross earnings will prove no burden to the companies and no injury to the business of the roads, but if properly applied as a sinking fund for the payment of the public debt it will in a few years produce astonishing results.

A "Democratic" View.

Alexander H. Stephens, late Vice President of the Southern Confederacy, has made another attempt to justify the rebellion in which he bore so prominent a part. The result of this endeavor is two heavy octavo volumes, and the justification is attempted exclusively on the principles of the Jeffersonian Democracy. He calls his book "A Constitutional View of the Late War Between the States," a title which is itself a misnomer. The war was not a quarrel among States, but a war between the National Government and the rebellious people of certain States. Stephens' book, though extremely shallow and confronted on every page by the settled history of the country, is, nevertheless, the best general exposition of the principles of Jefferson, Calhoun, Buchanan, the Southern secessionists and Northern Democrats of the modern school, which we have seen.

The book is put forth, apparently as a final effort, to establish the doctrine, first exploded by argument and afterwards exploded by war, that the Constitution is nothing but a compact between sovereign States, that each State has a right to be its own sole judge of the extent of its obligations to the Union, that the States never parted with the right to command the ultimate allegiance of their citizens, that any State may therefore withdraw from the Union at pleasure, and that it is the duty of every citizen to obey his State's high behest. Stephens attempts to establish these propositions by arguments from history, but the only thing he succeeds in proving is that these principles are those of the Democratic party of the Virginia or Jefferson school.

Stephens says rightly, that this exposition of the nature of the Government, or "compact," as he calls it, was introduced by the resolutions of '98, and he claims that it was confirmed by the people in the election of the author of the resolutions, Jefferson, to the Presidency. But he forgets that Jefferson kept his agency in the matter profoundly secret. He never ventured to avow while living the authorship of the resolutions. Had it been known in 1799 that he was their author the fact would certainly have been fatal to his Presidential aspirations.

"It is very clear," we quote from Stephens book, "that Mr Jefferson believed in this right (of secession). This the Kentucky resolutions fully established * * * He fully believed in the right of any State to withdraw when the terms of the compact were broken by the other parties to it, and he believed in the perfect and absolute right of each party for itself to judge as well of infractions of the compact as the mode and measure of redress." Stephens is clearly right here for if those resolutions do not affirm the right of secession, they have no meaning at all.

But when *Stephens* encounters Marshall, Jackson and Webster he has hard work of it. But he has the audacity to affirm that these men held these same principles! Think of his asserting that John Marshall a thorough Federalist ever accepted the dogmas of Jefferson! That Webster who silenced the Southern nullifiers and seceders with unanswerable logic, believed after all in the disintegrating doctrines which he so triumphantly overthrew! That Jackson, who put down incipient rebellion in South Carolina by a proclamation in which the Jeffersonian theory was completely annihilated, *ever assented to* the doctrine that a State might withdraw from the Union and the Government had no power of coercion! It is not worth while for any one to follow Stephens through the quibbles by which he attempts to establish these impossible propositions. We remark however, that he is just as consistent in these matters as the great mass of Democrats have been during the last ten years.

The book, however, is clear enough on one point; that is to say, it shows that the late struggle was a conflict between the national principles on which the *Government* was founded and the dogmas which were introduced by the Virginia politicians in 1798-99, and which Washington predicted would "either dissolve the Union or produce coercion."

Small Notes.

The San Francisco *Dispatch* acknowledges a recent political surrender in these words: "It is with unfeigned regret that we notice that the Connecticut Democracy have succumbed to the bondholders. At their late State Convention they repudiated the financial plank in the Democratic National Platform, and on that question made an unconditional surrender to the enemy."

The Idaho *Statesman* reports that the Union Pacific Railroad Company are pushing along their surveys down Snake river, under the superintendence of Colonel Hudnutt. The most eligible point of crossing Snake river has been determined. It is at a point below Old's ferry, on three islands in the river. By crossing at that place, the long hill beyond the ferry is avoided, and the road can reach Powder river at a rise not exceeding 75 feet.

Wells, Fargo & Co.'s stage line, between the present termini of the Central Pacific and Union Pacific railroads, has been transferred to a new road, passing north of Salt Lake instead of south, as heretofore. The *Telegraph* says a good location has been found for the road at an average distance from the railroad track of about eight miles, over which no water need be hauled, and on which convenient stations can be located about fifteen miles apart. The road now runs from Humboldt Wells to Bear River Junction.

The *Herald says:* "Democrats favor a tariff simply for revenue purposes. Others have favored it for the purpose of protecting domestic manufactures." In 1824 Gen Jackson said: "Lead, iron, copper, hemp and wool—these being the grand materials of our national defence, they ought to have extended to them *adequate and fair protection*. We have been too long subject to the policy of British *merchants. It is time we should become a little more Americanized*." Here is the *Herald*, and here is General Jackson. Which is the true Democrat?

The suffrage amendment which the House has substituted for the one lately offered by the Senate is a material improvement, and though it is not yet just what we of the Pacific States would have it, it will stand a reasonable chance of ratification by three-fourths of the States of the Union. The amendment, if adopted in this shape, would still leave to the States much power over the suffrage. *They might prescribe a test of intelligence*, and thus exclude the Chinese, even if these people should become citizens, a thing which is not probable. The Senate Judiciary Committee has already recommended that in recasting the naturalization laws foreigners of color shall be excluded. There is now no law for the naturalization of Chinese, and we presume that in the new law they will be specially excluded from this privilege.

The Sue Murphy claim having been disposed of, now comes before Congress Mrs Kate Murphy and asks for the sum of eleven thousand dollars, and for the following reasons: Her husband was "drafted into the army," compelled to shoulder the musket and go to war. In its varied fortunes he fell into the hands of the enemy, became a prisoner and finally died at Andersonville. He was drafted five and a half years ago, and up to that time had received a salary of two thousand dollars per year, so that had he retained his situation he would have earned by this time exactly eleven thousand dollars and that is just the amount Mrs. Kate Murphy wants Congress to pay her. It is a more deserving case than Miss Sue's, but can't be paid for all that. Mrs Kate resides in Philadelphia.

LEGEND OF A POLISH SALT MINE. In a late number of *Putnam's Magazine* there is a description of a Polish salt mine, and of a little chapel far down in the earth, concerning which the following account is given:

It is devoted to the memory of the pious wife of one of Poland's early kings, to whom Heaven vouchsafed, in 1252, the boon of bestowing the knowledge of these wondrous treasures on her impoverished subjects. She was starting for Hungary, the legend says, and hearing there of the fearful suffering of her native land, was ordered by her patron saint, to cast a precious ring which she most valued of all her trinkets into a deep well. She did it in simple faith, and, when she returned to her home at the foot of the Carpathian mountains, some peasants brought her a piece of rock salt, believing it to be a costly jewel. It was of no value in itself, but, to whom it was shown, [illegible] of the transparent mass her ring lay imbedded. She understood the revelation from on high, ordered search to be made for more of the shining substance, and thus were discovered the great mines of Wieliczka, which have ever since been a source of greater wealth than the richest mines of gold or diamonds.

The Tax Payers' Union in San Francisco is becoming formidable from its numbers and the class of men who compose it. Its object is to secure an efficient City Government at the least possible cost, and men of all political creeds belong to it. They declare that in their city affairs, so far as they are concerned, politics shall have nothing to do.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER

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WASHINGTON, [illegible]

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A Committee [illegible] in the Senate, [illegible] Morrill, of Vermont, Chairman [illegible] W. [illegible] [illegible]

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There has been [illegible] contest in the Senate [illegible] until Friday, over the bill [illegible] Wm McGarrahan, which passed the House [illegible] session [illegible] reported [illegible] by Senator Williams from the Committee on Private Land Claims, [illegible] An appeal was taken [illegible] the United States District Court [illegible] the Court made an order [illegible] On the 22d of December, 1847, McGarrahan purchased one half of the claim of Gomez. An appeal was then taken, and the Supreme Court reversed the decision of the District Court, and decided that the claim of Gomez was invalid and worthless. Since then McGarrahan has been continually appealing to the Interior Department and to Congress for relief. Last winter the bill passed the House but on the report of Senator Williams, as Chairman of the Committee on Public Land Claims, it was indefinitely postponed in the Senate. The motion this week, to take it up again was strongly opposed by Williams, Stewart, [illegible], and the other Senators from the Pacific coast, supported by Morton, Fessenden, and others from the Atlantic States, and although it finally prevailed, it is not believed that the bill will pass the Senate. The claim includes the mine and improvements of the New Idria Mining Company, said to be worth about $5,000,000. Yesterday the case was again referred to the Committee on Private Land Claims.

RECONSTRUCTION IN VIRGINIA.

A great many "leading conservatives" of Virginia, as the rebels are styled, have been before the Reconstruction Committee lately, trying to make some arrangement by which the "Underwood Constitution" adopted by the Convention last year, and still before the people for ratification, can be set aside, and one more "liberal" constructed for it. They bitterly denounce the "Underwood Constitution," as they call it, because of its disfranchising and some other clauses, and have made long arguments before the Reconstruction Committee in favor of "universal amnesty and impartial suffrage." What action the Committee will take on the subject is not yet known.

THE BRADLEY CONTEMPT CASE.

Last Monday a peremptory mandamus was served upon the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia by order of the Supreme Court of the United States, commanding that Joseph H Bradley, who, it will be remembered, was stricken *from the roll of attorneys for contempt during the* Surratt trial, be restored to that Court as Attorney and solicitor in all of his franchises. Chief Justice Cartter directed an order to be entered, on Tuesday morning, in effect restoring Mr Bradley to the criminal court only. The Supreme Court of the District, he said, in doing this, simply yielded obedience to the commands of superior authority. They made the order because the ultimate tribunal commanded it. It was impossible to follow the logic of the Supreme Court of the United States in detail, for the whole proceeding involved the Supreme Court of the District in ruin. The Supreme Court of the District would yield to the command of the Supreme Court of the United States to the extent of restoring Mr Bradley to practice in the criminal court. "The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia could do no more if it would, and would do no more if it could."

AMUSEMENTS.

The Chapman sisters at the National Theatre, a troupe of minstrels at Wall's Opera, and *seances* by the Davenport Brothers (spiritualists) at Metzerott Hall, have furnished the principal amusements during the week. In company with Messrs. C. E. Tilton, J. B Underwood, and others, I visited the Davenport performance, and witnessed, among other wonders, the sailing of violins, drums and banjos, over the heads of the audience, playing tunes without any one touching them, the taking off a man's coat in an instant, with hands tied firmly behind him with a strong rope, without removing the cord or tearing the coat, and the putting it on in the same way, etc.

RAILROADS.

I understand the sub committee of the Senate Pacific Railroad Committee, have agreed to report a bill to the Senate next week, embracing the main features of the omnibus bill, a synopsis of which was given in this correspondence last week. The bill will provide for a Northern road from Lake Superior to Puget Sound, a Southern road from Arkansas to the Pacific, with two or three branches, including one from the Central Pacific, in Nevada, to Portland, in Oregon. A bill has been introduced in the House for a branch from the Central Pacific to Boise City.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Dr. Bowlby arrived here during the week, and has gone to New Jersey to visit friends. Among the gentlemen now in this city who are known in Oregon or residents of the State, are Messrs J. H Mitchell and S. Reed, of Portland, Judge Olney, of Astoria, Capt Lyons, of the Dalles, Philip Ritz, of Walla Walla, Judge Cummings, of Idaho, J. H. D. Henderson, J. B Underwood and B. J. Pengra, of Eugene City, S. F. Chadwick, of Roseburg, B. F. Dowell, of Jacksonville, Jesse D. Carr, of San Francisco, C. E. Tilton, of New York. They are all here on business connected with railroads and other public matters. [illegible] Oregon [illegible] for any aid she may obtain for railroads, than to Mr C. E. Tilton, of New York, who has spent his time here all winter working for the Oregon measures.

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HOW HE PROVED IT. It is the custom in Mexico for the Church to require a foreigner wishing to marry a native to bring proof that he is not already a married man. An American, about to marry a senorita of very good family, was required to furnish the proof of his being a bachelor. Not finding any of his countrymen who knew him sufficiently well to testify to this fact, he [illegible] Mexican [illegible] The scion, after a moment's study, told the [illegible] down on your hands and knees and creep about. Not exactly understanding what he was at, he obeyed, much to the detriment of his unmentionables. The other party told him he was all right, that he would swear that he had known him since the time he crawled.

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By Overland Telegraph

[illegible] TO THE OREGONIAN.

DATES TO FEBRUARY 21.

Steamers Arrived.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 — The steamer [illegible], from Aspinwall, February 13th, has arrived. No news.

The steamer *Missouri*, from Rio Janeiro, January 26th, has arrived. The war is considered ended.

Miscellaneous.

NEW YORK, Feb 21 — A joint mass meeting of the German Republicans and Democrats was held this afternoon, and adopted a memorial, protesting against the passage of the proposition before Congress giving the United States Courts exclusive power to grant naturalization certificates.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A patent was issued yesterday to [illegible] for 11,657 acres of Cherokee neutral lands the largest and patent ever issued, except to a railroad.

CINCINNATI, Feb 21 — Charles King, the robber of the safe of Chamberlain & Son, Wall street, [illegible], was arrested here yesterday and taken to New York. Sixty thousand dollars were recovered.

NASHVILLE, Feb. 21 — The body of Detective Bannon who was taken from a railroad train about a month ago by masked men, was found in a creek near Columbia yesterday, having a rope around the neck and the hands tied behind. A valuable diamond ring remained on the finger.

[illegible] has issued a proclamation declaring martial law in the counties of Overton, Jackson, Maury, Giles, Lawrence, Gibson, Madison, and Haywood, and ordering General Cook to send militia into those counties. The proceeding creates much uneasiness.

Cuban News.

HAVANA, Feb. 21 — Governor Dulce has issued another proclamation offering forgiveness to those having the cause of the insurgents, excepting the leaders.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 — The *Herald's* Cuban special says the steamer *Louisiana* is expected from Mexico with $4,000,000.

Senator Henderson left for the United States to-day.

An American, named DuPuy, who attempted to leave without a passport, was detained by the authorities.

The *Diario* says the insurgents in the chief jurisdiction at Colon, have surrendered.

Advices from Trinidad report several encounters in that vicinity. Colonel Schmidt, leading the insurgent forces, was wounded, and six Mexicans and three others were killed. The forces defending Puerto Principe number 3,000.

Tempo says the insurgents have been totally defeated near Villa Clara, and considers the insurrection ended in that part of the Island.

From South America.

It is believed that Lopez has gone to Bolivia on board an American man of war.

Asuncion was occupied by the allies, Jan. 5th.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 22 - Another gang of juvenile burglars was discovered yesterday and eight of them, ranging from 9 to 15 years of age, were arrested upon a charge of robbing a store.

Yesterday morning, as the bark *Kutusoff* was proceeding to sea, she came in collision with the ship *Coquimbo*. The head gear of the *Coquimbo* was carried away and she will require considerable repairs.

Yesterday afternoon Chas. Daley was arrested, said to be connected with Louis Veigant in the counterfeiting business. Charges of possessing counterfeit dies were entered against each of them.

Walsh lost his match to ride 100 miles in 4 hours yesterday.

To-day is being generally observed as a holiday and promises to be a very pleasant one. The 1st and 2d regiments of infantry will parade this afternoon. The Sacramento City Guard will also participate in the demonstration.

Rich Strike.

TRINITY CENTRE, Feb. 22 — A miner named Weedon, at Minersville, within the past week, has taken out over five thousand dollars in coarse gold. Some of the nuggets weigh eight ounces. The ground worked over is not over twenty feet square. In consequence of this rich strike considerable excitement has been occasioned, and several companies are preparing to open claims in that vicinity.

Fire, etc.

A fire occurred in the Trinity Centre Hotel, but was extinguished without serious damage.

The roads are drying up; no snow in the valley. The stages are making regular time. Miners complain of the scarcity of hands to work their claims.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—A frigate has been ordered to Cuba to protect the interests of the French citizens.

MADRID, Feb. 21.—The ironclad *Victoria* is under orders to sail for Havana.

By a recent decree of the Colonial Minister all restrictions are removed from the office of Commercial Broker in Cuba and Porto Rico.

TRIESTE, Feb 21.—There was a terrible disaster yesterday on board the frigate *Radetzky*, cruising in the Adriatic, by the explosion of the magazine, completely wrecking the ship and causing great loss of life. Most of the officers and crew were instantly killed or blown into the water and drowned.

The Press of the United States.

The *Proof Sheet* for January, a Philadelphia publication, has an article which purports to give the number of newspapers and printing offices in the United States. The article has been very carefully and laboriously compiled. The number of book and job offices is set down as 1,483. There are 542 daily papers, 4,425 weekly, 277 monthly; total, 5,244. But as some of the weekly papers are printed in book and job offices, and as there are daily and weekly issues of the same paper, it may be assumed that the number of printing offices in the United States exceeds 6,000. In addition to the number of publications there are 76 tri-weekly papers, 63 semi-weekly, 46 semi-monthly publications, 297 monthly, 4 bi-monthly and 24 quarterly, making the total *number of all American publications* 5,734, or, of newspapers proper, a total of 5,353.

According to the *Printer's Register*, an English periodical, there are now published in Great Britain and Ireland only 89 daily newspapers, distributed as follows: London, 22, English Provinces, 41, Wales, 1, Scotland, 11, Ireland 15, Channel Islands, 1. Thus there are 89 British against 542 American dailies.

The greatest number of newspapers is 67[illegible] in New York against 2 in Dacotah and 2 in Arizona. There are 23 in Colorado, 7 in Idaho, 9 in Montana, 3 in Utah, 5 in New Mexico and 14 in Washington Territory. In California, which was almost "nowhere" only twenty years ago, there are 195, that is, 27 daily, 53 weekly, and 6 monthly. In the District of Columbia 20, or 8 daily, 11 weekly and 1 monthly. New York has 77 daily, 53[illegible] weekly and [illegible] monthly: total [illegible]. Pennsylvania stands next with 495, composed of 49 daily, 406 weekly and 40 monthly. Illinois *has a total of* 415, Ohio, 377, Indiana 261, Missouri 240, Iowa 258, Wisconsin, 162, Michigan 170, New Jersey comes out pretty well with 110 against Maryland's 103 and Virginia's 100, not including 51 in West Virginia. Massachusetts 249, Maine, 69, Vermont 5[illegible], Rhode Island 22. New Hampshire, 52. Connecticut 74. Of the Southern States Texas with 114 takes the lead, Louisiana having only [illegible], Alabama 87, Arkansas 48, Florida 23, Georgia 9[illegible], North Carolina [illegible], South Carolina 47. Kentucky has 70, Mississippi 7[illegible], Nebraska 25, Minnesota, 8[illegible], Oregon, 21, Nevada 1[illegible], Tennessee, 92, and Colorado 2[illegible]. Of the old States Delaware ranks lowest [illegible] daily and [illegible] weeklies. It says the [illegible] it had a large and [illegible] press Delaware would not now be a by-word in the Union as the only State which [illegible] the whipping post.

Although banns of marriage are so frequently [illegible] for the purpose [illegible] ly married is giving the rounds of the papers of that country. A son forbade the banns of his mother whom he thought too old to get married again, but the marriage took place nevertheless.

IDAHO ITEMS

From the Boise Statesman.

Mr Orlando Robbins, Deputy Marshal for Idaho, has resigned his position, and Mr Wash Underwood has been appointed to succeed him.

The small pox excitement in this vicinity is subsiding. The man who was afflicted with the disease has nearly recovered, and no fears are entertained of its spreading. The schools which were closed in consequence, have opened again.

The Dog Tax collected thus far in Boise City, we understand, has amounted to two hundred dollars, being the tax on forty dogs. It is thought by some that this dog tax will be sufficient to carry on the city government without levying special tax for that purpose. There is probably about one hundred dogs here subject to the tax.

The prospects at Idaho City are good, and everybody is in excellent spirits. There is about two and a half feet snow around town, and in the mountains it is from eight to ten feet deep. Everything is in good shape for one of the best mining seasons ever known in the Basin. The 2½ feet snow is equal to five feet of *ordinary snow, it is so thoroughly* packed and saturated with moisture. The people of Boise Basin are but little affected with the White Pine fever, and but few are going from the country. The general impression exists that this will be the best mining season for years in the Boise Basin.

Speaking of the plot which resulted in the assassination of President Lincoln and the recent confession of Arnold, the Boston *Traveler* says: It confirms what has been our own theory, that several more persons were engaged in the scheme headed by John Wilkes Booth, than have been yet detected, or even named in connection with it. It tends, so far as the wild and absurd outline of a project to kidnap Mr Lincoln from the theatre goes, to prove that the leaders in the plot only used this as a blind to delude their humbler followers, such as Arnold and O'Laughlin, until the time came for unfolding the real design of assassination, for the idea of two or three striplings seizing and handcuffing Abraham Lincoln in the *box of a theatre, and lowering him* to the stage to be carried away in a buggy, never could have been seriously entertained by such men as Booth and Surratt. It is to be noted also that Arnold, although acting under the strongest motive to strain a point in revealing everything, does not implicate in any way the *scene shifter Spangler, not* seem to have had any knowledge of his existence.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON for the county of Multnomah—Henry L. Pittock, Plaintiff, vs James P. O Lownsdale, Administrator, James P. O Lownsdale, Guardian of Millard O Lownsdale, Millard O Lownsdale, Ruth A Lownsdale, John A Blanchard her Guardian, Ida Squires, Wm E Cooper her Guardian, Emma S Lamb and John R. Lamb her husband, Mary E. Cooper and Am. B Cooper her husband, James P. O Lownsdale and Hannah and Hiram Smith, Defendants.—Summons in equity to quiet title to Block 215, City of Portland, Oregon.—To Ida Squires, one of the Defendants above named: Whereas the plaintiff above named has filed in the Court above named a complaint, of which you are hereby notified, and claims title to that parcel of land known as Block No. 215 in the City of Portland, Oregon, to which, it is said, you and other defendants set up some claim adverse to plaintiff, and prays that said adverse claim be determined and that you be excluded from any lien, interest or estate in said land, and whereas a summons was duly issued and you were required to answer said complaint in ten days if served in said county or within twenty days if served out of said county, and you were not served within [illegible] State but it was shown that you were a non-resident [illegible] State of Oregon, and an order of publication was made by said Court, to the end that you might be notified of the pendency of this suit. Now, therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon you the said Ida Squires, are hereby notified of the pendency of the above entitled suit and are required to appear in the Court above entitled at the City of Portland, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held on the second (2d) Monday of June, 1869, and answer said complaint or in default thereof, the said complaint will be taken as confessed and the plaintiff will take judgment against you and a decree according to the prayer of said complaint as above set out, as well as for general relief.

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REV T. L. ELIOT, on Tuesday, Feb. 23
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REV. A. L. LINDSLEY, on Tuesday, March 9th.
Subject—To be announced.

DR. J. H. BILL, U. S. A., on Tuesday, March 23.
Subject—Physical Difference between Man and the Lower Animals.

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Sealed Proposals.

Office Chief Quartermaster Dep't of the Columbia, [illegible]
PORTLAND, OGN, Feb. 18th, 1869.

BY AUTHORITY FROM THE DEPARTMENT Commander, Sealed Proposals will be received at this Office up to noon on the first day of March, 1869, for the delivery at Fort Vancouver, W. T., of two hundred cords of [illegible] oak wood, more or less, at the option of the United States, the wood to be delivered at such place on the Military Reserve, and at such times and in such quantities as the Commanding Officer may direct. Bids must state the price per cord. The amount must be stated in writing, not figures.

Bids must be in triplicate.

No "average bids" will be considered. For further particulars inquire at this Office.

A. R. EDDY,
Brevet Col. and Chief Qr. Master
Dep't Columbia.
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OF THE
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PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY,
AT
PHILHARMONIC HALL,
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ALSO
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ALSO
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Lots [illegible] Block Eighty-[illegible]
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Fractional parts of Lots [illegible] in Block 86.
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Lots [illegible] Block Eighty Seven.
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